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Sewer treatment plant update to begin this month, loan approved

Work is expected to begin this month on renovations at Hoopeston's sewer treatment plant.

Alderman Drew Allen, said at Tuesday's city council meeting that contractors held a walk-through last Thursday and that once preliminary work is completed, renovations will begin on the estimated \$2.07 million project.

Preliminary activity will include work around the filter building and draining the chlorine contact chamber, Allen said.

In unrelated action, the council unanimously approved a \$40,000 revolving loan to Dave and Penny Gaddis, owners of Gaddis Nursery and Hoopeston Monument.

The loan will be repaid over seven years with an

8.25 percent interest rate, said Alderman Bill Goodwine, revolving loan committee chairman.

The money will be used to pay existing debts and build a new structure at the nursery site at 526 W. Orange. The new building will house offices for both companies, Goodwine said.

Other money for the project is expected to come from the Small Business Administration. The companies are expected to create 4 full-time equivalent jobs, Goodwine said.

Finally, the council heard from resident Tom Scott, who requested the new police chief be hired from among the ranks of the Hoopeston Police Department. "We've got a good bunch, bar none," Scott said. "Let's stand behind them and let them

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And "The Howling Stones" by Alan Dean Foster, "Alias Grace" by Margaret Atwood, "Tycoon" by Harold Robbins, "God Save the Queen" by Dorothy Cannell, "Silent Witness" by Richard North Patterson, "Hornet's Nest" by Patricia Cornwell, "Death in Lovers' Lane" by Carolyn G. Hart, "The Book of God" by Walter Wangerin Jr., "Deep Waters" by Jayne Ann Krantz and "Beyond Recognition" by Ridley Pearson.

Non-fiction: "Woodall's North American Campground Directory 1997," "My Story" by Sarah Ferguson, "Never Call Your Broker on Monday" by Nancy Dunnan, "The Uncommon Wisdom of Oprah Winfrey," "How to Find People with Information from Public Records" by Robert Berko, "The Big Book of Urban Legends" by Jan Harold Brunvand, "College Money Handbook '97," "House Comfortable" by Katharine Kaye McMillan, "Basic Face" by Cindy Crawford and "Forever, Erma" by Erma Bombeck.

Also, "The World Almanac Job Finder's Guide 1997," "Amy's Bread" by Amy Scherber, "Burnhing Bright: An Anthology of Sacred Poetry," "A Reporter's Life" by Walter Cronkite, "The 1997 National Job Hotline," "Becoming a Grandmother" by Sheila Kitzinger, "Little Things Mean a Lot" by Susan Newman, "How to File for Divorce in Illinois" by Darrell Seigler, "How to Access the Federal Government on the Internet 1997," "The Rules," by Ellen Fein and "Cat World: A Feline Encyclopedia."



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Police News

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 3:20 p.m. Monday at 301 W. Main.

Liza Reynolds of 314 N. Eighth Ave., in a 1982 Oldsmobile, was backing up and hit a parked 1993

Mercury owned by Jacqueline K. Langdoc of 904 E. Thompson.

The Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 6:54 p.m. Monday to a closet fire at 321 W. Penn.

Hoopeston team takes 9 pin no tap title at bowling alley

"Itty Bitty & The Big Daddies" team, with captain John Lowe took home the title from Saturday's 9-pin no tap team tournament at Parkview Lanes.

The team, with a scratch 3,600 and 243 pin handicap, for a total of 3,843, won top prize of \$600, beating out 27 other teams.

Members of the winning team were Mike Spade and Clayton Harwood, Watseka and Jeremy Gaddis and Brandon Hamilton, Hoopeston.

Remaining cash positions were:

second place, "Light #1, Goodland, Ind., Doug Light, captain, 3,822, \$400; third place, Hiltz Quikstop, Todd Underwood, captain, 3,747, \$250; fourth place, Bad and the Beauties, Todd Underwood, captain, 3,639,\$150.

Optional singles action saw 108 participants. Cash positions went to: Robert Myers, Renssalaer, Ind., 869,

Solution to yesterday's puzzle

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\$90; Doug Light, Goodland, Ind., 849, \$70; Randy Hiltz, Hoopeston, 830, \$60; Todd Scimkus and Jim Alder, Watseka, 821, \$52.50 each; Chad Tomas, 808, \$45; Mike Dean, Hoopeston, 805, \$40; Hank Longfellow, Wellington, 800, \$35; Dan Anderson, Remington, Ind., 799, \$30; Dee Smallwood, Hoopeston, 793, \$25; Tammy Bruns, Hoopeston, 789, \$20; Sam Pennington, Hoopeston, 783, \$15; Eric Gaffney, Hoopeston, 799, \$10; and Allen Wilson, Hoopeston, 772, \$5.

The next tournament will be Saturday, March 8 with

Obituaries

DAVIS - M. Nyal Davis, 85, of Hoopeston, died at 7:25 a.m. Monday, Feb. 3, 1997, at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday at the Brown-Alkire Funeral Home. Burial will be in Floral Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to the National Multiple Schlerosis Society, Greater Illinois Branch, P.O. Box 5489, Chicago, IL. 60680-5489.

In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital Feb. 3, 1997

Admitted: Margaret Roughia, June Mitchell, Fred Schuler and Alice Sharp, all of Hoopeston.

Discharged: Virginia Songer, Hoopeston.

Weather



Mostly cloudy today. High in the mid 30s. Tonight, cloudy. Low in the low 20s. Tomorrow, partly cloudy. High near 34, low near 23.



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